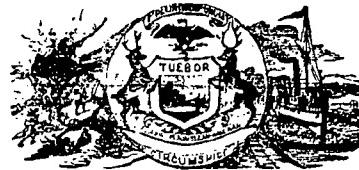


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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor

Modern Telephone Service for Grayling

To meet the present demands, and in anticipation of future needs, the Tri-County Telephone Company proposes to rebuild its entire telephone plant, construct a new building and install therein modern automatic telephone equipment, so that they may better serve the city of Grayling and surrounding territory.

In harmony with the views of the future, the Tri-County Telephone Company is proposing to furnish the most modern automatic telephone equipment, which, when installed, will be capable of rendering the best telephone service obtainable anywhere. The rate application for this new service is published elsewhere in this issue and is contingent upon the acceptance by the telephone customers of Grayling and the approval of the Michigan Public Utilities Commission.

Keeping ahead of the new developments in American life calls for a great expenditure in money. The Tri-County Telephone Company's outlay for new plant and service improvements for eight of their thirty-five exchanges is more than \$360,000.00. \$49,000.00 of this amount will be used for the Grayling improvement. New money for financing these projects will have to be borrowed and the Company has proposed rates which will allow them to earn the interest on the above amount.

The exchanges that the Company proposes to modernize at this time have not enjoyed first class service in the past due to obsolescence, and to the ever increasing line disturbances due to the extension of rural electrifications. These exchanges have also been operated at a considerable loss for years due to increased taxes, low rates, and excessive maintenance costs.

The Tri-County Telephone Company realizes that their customers desire, and should have, first class telephone service. Business firms using the telephone eliminate space and time. The far-flung parts of an organization, with its dealers and customers, are brought together by instant speech. The home, like the office, reaches out over an ever-widening circle of neighbors.

The automatic telephone is tireless and quick. It runs errands near and far, transacts business, keeps friendships alive. Telephones throughout the house save time—and fatigue. They bring the comforts and conveniences of the office to the women in the homes.

This expansion program is part of the telephone ideal that anyone, anywhere, shall be able to talk quickly and at a reasonable cost with anyone, anywhere else. There is no "standing still" in the telephone industry.

RECREATION NOTES

All men and young men who are interested in the Recreation Basketball League this winter will meet at the school gym at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Nov. 8, for an organization meeting. A. G. Clough, Recreation Leader.

John A. Papendick

Candidate For SHERIFF Republican Ticket

Nominated in the Primary Election and now hopes to receive your favorable consideration and your vote in the election November 8th.

Lived in Grayling 21 years, and for four years was deputy sheriff under our present sheriff, Frank Bennett.

I Will Thank You for Your Vote

If elected I promise to faithfully perform the duties of Sheriff to the best of my ability.

MRS. CONNINE CELEBRATES 80TH MILESTONE

Mrs. R. D. Connine celebrated her 80th birthday anniversary November 1st, and Sunday 32 members of her family, who included sisters, brothers, nephews and nieces of Traverse City came to spend the day with her. At noon 30 sat down for dinner at the Connine home.

Tuesday afternoon several of Mrs. Connine's close neighbors met at the home of Mrs. S. D. Dunham, and at lunch time a lovely birthday cake graced the table, in her honor.

It was a very happy occasion and Mrs. Connine is extended congratulations and wishes for many happy returns of the day.

FORMER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY IN DEARBORN

Frank Smith, age 86 years, and the father of Howard Smith of this city, passed away in Dearborn on Oct. 24 following a long illness. Mr. Smith, who was born in Great Falls, N. Y., had been a resident of Grayling for a long number of years. Two years ago he left for Dearborn to make his home.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Clay Funeral Home with interment in Northview cemetery, Dearborn.

Surviving the deceased are five sons, Howard of Grayling; Jesse and Russell of Dearborn; George of Pontiac and Chester of Princeton, N. J., and one daughter Mrs. Ben Darroch of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and son George Roy were in attendance at the funeral.

LADIES AUXILIARY OF THE GOLF CLUB GIVE DANCING PARTY

The Golf Club house was the scene of a merry dancing party Tuesday evening. The Ladies Auxiliary planned the affair and eighty-six ladies and gentlemen responded to the invitation.

Woody Miller's Three Sharks furnished the music and kept the dancers in a happy mood.

Mrs. Harry Connine acted as general chairman; Mrs. Wm. Hill, as lunch chairman and Miss Jayne Keyport and Miss Georgia Olson as music committee.

The party was such a success that a cry for more, more of these was heard from the crowd on their departure.

Several groups enjoyed pot-luck dinner before the party. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Olson, Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clipper, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff.

TO CORRECT A MISSSTATEMENT

The Avalanche in its last issue made a misstatement in the discussion of the 3rd amendment that will have to be voted on at the election next Tuesday.

The article advocated voting in favor of the proposal and at the final conclusion of the article it said VOTE NO. That was a mistake. If ratified this amendment will not permit of any money paid in for gasoline and weight taxes being used for anything but for highway purposes. If this money were to be put into the general fund of the state, it is easy to predict that our highways, which are one of our principal assets of Michigan, would suffer for want of finances. Let's keep Michigan Highways on the upgrade by voting YES on amendment 3.



MRS. DOUGLAS B. STIRLING

At a simple but impressive service Miss Betty Jane Welsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Welsh, of this city became the bride of Douglas B. Stirling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil D. Stirling of Saginaw, at Methodist Memorial Church Saturday afternoon at five-thirty o'clock with the Rev. H. W. Kuhlman officiating.

The bride, leaning on the arm of her father proceeding toward the altar, was lovely in a white velvet gown made of intricate lines with shirred elbow-length sleeves finishing the full skirt and a modified train extending from the full skirt. A sheer white floor-length veil, completed the costume. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and baby chrysanthemums.

The groom was attended by his brother, James Stirling, and ushers included Thomas Welsh, secretary and treasurer of the organization, says reports.

In next week's issue of the Avalanche there will be a report of the projects to be carried on by the Crawford County Chapter.

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There is a story afloat that should I be elected sheriff I plan to still continue in my business, however this is to advise that if elected I shall give up my Tavern business early in December, and be ready to take over the office at the appointed time, and shall devote my entire time to the sheriff's duties.

Too, I have a party in view whom I shall appoint as under-sheriff, and he with his family will move into the jail residence, so that the buildings and grounds will be cared for in the proper manner.

Thanking you and earnestly soliciting your support in the election Nov. 8, I am

Respectfully,
Pd. Adv. Orlie "Blackie" Levan.

The Name Neville

The name Neville is the Latin form of the Anglo-Saxon Newton and has the same meaning, "from the new town," a residence name.

Find Any Halloween Goblins?



Two-year-old Irma Ann Dance of Miami, Fla., wonders where the Halloween goblins come from—and what better way to find out than look for yourself? Irma's daddy fixed up this prize pumpkin for her Halloween celebration. Look out, young lady—the goblins will get you if you don't watch out!

AMERICA VOTES

• In every state but Maine, November 8 is election day; your chance to say "Yes" or "No" to the government.



Throughout the country, lines like the above form each election day as America exercises its franchise. Few citizens appreciate this right; too many complain about government and then do nothing about it. The above picture was taken at a New York polling place, where election machinery must be geared to accommodate a gigantic vote.



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Instruction Ballot

INSTRUCTIONS.—In all cases make a cross (X) in the circle (O) under the name of your party at the head of the desire to vote a straight ticket, nothing further need be done. Where only one candidate is to be elected to any office, vote for a candidate not on your party ticket, make a cross (X) in the square before the name of the candidate for to vote on the other ticket. Where two or more candidates are to be elected to the same office, and you desire to vote different tickets for such office, make a cross (X) in the square before the name of the candidate for whom you desire to vote; also erase an equal number of names of candidates on your party ticket for the same office for whom you do not desire to vote. If you wish to vote for a candidate not on any ticket, write or place the name of such candidate on your ticket of the office. Before leaving the booth, fold the ballot so that the initial of the inspector may be seen on the outside.

Names of Offices Voted For



STATE GOVERNOR	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor FRANK MURPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor FRANK D. FITZGERALD	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor NAHUM BURNETT	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor CLAYTON O'DONOHUE	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor JULIET K. HAMMOND	<input type="checkbox"/> Governor VAHAN
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor LEO J. NOWICKI	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor LUREN D. DICKINSON	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor KERMIT JOHNSON	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor ANTHONY KOSS	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor BLANCHE WINTERS	<input type="checkbox"/> Lieutenant Governor ELROY
SECRETARY OF STATE	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State LEON D. CASE	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State HARRY F. KELLY	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State JEAN SEIDEL	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State THOMAS F. SLATER	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State EDNA S. EMMETT	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary of State JAMES
STATE TREASURER	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer THEODORE I. FRY	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer MILLER DUNCKEL	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer FREDERICK A. HALSTED	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer JOHN MICHOFF	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer ROBERT FRASER	<input type="checkbox"/> State Treasurer SARAH
AUDITOR GENERAL	<input type="checkbox"/> Auditor General GEORGE T. GUNDRY	<input type="checkbox"/> Auditor General VERNON J. BROWN	<input type="checkbox"/> Auditor General EDWARD MASKIEWICZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney General EMANUEL SEIDLER	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney General ARTHUR J. WOBLER	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney General EVELYN A. GREENE
ATTORNEY GENERAL	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney General RAYMOND W. STARR	<input type="checkbox"/> Attorney General THOMAS READ	<input type="checkbox"/> Congressman—10th District HAROLD C. BELLOWS	<input type="checkbox"/> Congressman—10th District ROY O. WOODRUFF	<input type="checkbox"/> Congressman—10th District	<input type="checkbox"/> Congressman—10th District
CONGRESSIONAL Representative in Congress 10th District	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
REPRESENTATIVE STATE SENATOR 28TH DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District JOHN E. DOHERTY	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District MILES M. CALLAGHAN	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District	<input type="checkbox"/> State Senator—28th District
REPRESENTATIVE—PRESQUE ISLE DISTRICT	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District FRANK P. BUZA	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District WILLIAM GREEN	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District	<input type="checkbox"/> Representative—Presque Isle District
COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney MERLE F. NELLIST	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney	<input type="checkbox"/> Prosecuting Attorney
SHERIFF	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff OREL LEVAN	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff JOHN A. PAPENDICK	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheriff
COUNTY CLERK	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk AXEL M. PETERSON	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk CLARENCE A. GROSS	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk	<input type="checkbox"/> County Clerk
COUNTY TREASURER	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer CARL J. JENSON	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer WILLIAM FERGUSON	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/> County Treasurer
REGISTER OF DEEDS	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds RONNOW HANSON	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds	<input type="checkbox"/> Register of Deeds
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Clarence (Tony)
Gross
Republican Candidate
for
County Clerk
Born in Grayling

Attended Grayling Schools

I will make an honest effort to give you the service you have a right to expect from this office.

General Election Nov. 8. I Will Thank You for Your Vote

UNDERWOOD
and L. C. SMITH
TYPEWRITERS

O. P. SCHUMANN
Local Dealer
Avalanche Office Phone 111



Annual Red Cross Roll Call for 1938

All of us have been watching the tide of discontent that has swept over many parts of the world during the past year. Threats and possibilities of actual war have been alarming, at times, and even today none of us would be greatly surprised as any turn for the worst of the socalled ticklish situations might produce. But the threats and counter threats of war referred to are far removed from our community. Isolated America, we love to think stands squarely for peace. The business of recovering from that strange period called "depression" has been a problem large enough for us to worry about.

However, there has been a conflict going on in this productive country of ours—a conflict that, without stretching the truth, could be called a battle to the end.

But the cause has not been territorial gain, a fight for political beliefs, or a struggle for masterships over neighbors. It has been a battle for better living conditions and general

health, a fight for prevention of deaths and permanent injuries on highways, in homes and on dread disease—pellagra. Was it farms, and a great united effort effective? The victory speaks for to conquer suffering and distress.

A few years ago the Red Cross entered the fight against that

"Gentleman" this summer, Paul de Kruif, eminent writer on scientific subjects, points out that due to the efforts of the Red Cross, death from pellagra has dropped fifty percent. Was it a worthwhile battle? The answer is obvious.

The fight against death and permanent injuries on the highways has been made thru the medium and establishment of 1600 first aid stations with trained workers planted at strategic points along the highway.

This campaign is working. The message is reaching an increasing number of persons annually. Willing volunteers are received in the working ranks annually.

The Public Nurse program is being carried further and further into isolated districts and homes where no other nursing is available.

Battles on many fronts; many enemies to overcome. Help the Red Cross to carry on. Join the 1938 twenty-first Roll Call of the "Great American Red Cross."



Vote For
Orel "Blackie" Levan
Democratic Candidate For
County Sheriff

World War Veteran Election Nov. 8, 1938
Your Vote Will Be Appreciated

Health Studio

Steam Cabinet Baths, Showers,
Massage, Electrotherapy and
Special Foot Treatments.

Martha A. Serr
Next Door To Plaza Restaurant



WHEN THIS HAPPENS, PHONE US
and We'll Print Some
For You In A Hurry!!



Re-Elect
WILLIAM FERGUSON
Republican
Candidate For
County Treasurer
Election Nov. 8, 1938

SMART MONEY
KNOWS
WHERE TO GO AFTER
READING
THE ADS
IN THIS
NEWSPAPER

It Won't Be Long Now!

Xmas is just around the corner.

Come in and give us your Xmas wants

Remember, Furniture is a Christmas Gift That Lasts

Prompt Service on any items not carried in stock

Drop In And See Us**Johnson Furniture Co.**

Phone 148

APPRECIATION DAY MERCHANTS

LOCALS

THURSDAY, NOV. 3, 1938

Little Sally Schram, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schram, is quite ill at their home.

Wild geese are reported to have been seen flying north. Wonder if there is a Corrigan among them.

The Women's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. T. P. Peterson next Wednesday.

Vote for Axel M. Peterson for County Clerk on the Democratic ticket, Tuesday, Nov. 8. Your vote will be appreciated.

Hallowe'en pranksters turned in a false alarm of fire Monday night, calling the department out at about midnight.

The Ladies Aid Society meeting of the Michelson Memorial church will be postponed from Friday, Nov. 4th to Friday, the 11th, at which time it will be at the home of Mrs. Staney Stealey.

Are you satisfied with an income of \$39 a month, or are you capable of earning more? We would welcome back the old "full dinner pail" days when a man could climb as high as his ability would permit.

A large buck ran into the side of the automobile of Ronnow Hanson, when he was returning from a pheasant hunting trip at Twining Sunday night, and damaged his car to the extent of \$50.00.

Edward Hichox of Midland was accidentally shot and killed Thursday, 1½ miles west of Fredric, when the gun of his son-in-law, Harvey Dudd, also of Midland, went off as he stumbled over some brush.

Re-elect Axel M. Peterson, Democratic candidate for County Clerk. Your support will be appreciated.

The Women's Home Missionary Society will have their annual sale on Thursday, Nov. 10, in the Michelson Memorial Church basement.

Mrs. Martha Marshall and family have moved into the Carlton Wythe house that was recently purchased by her son Melvin Marshall.

Miss Virginia Hartley and friend Miss Irene DeLoudy, of Grand Rapids, spent Wednesday visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Minnie Hartley.

Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson entertained several ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent visiting and the hostess served a tasty lunch.

Workmen are razing the former old Woodfield house on Michigan avenue, that is now owned by Wilhelm Rae. This was the old home of the William Woodfield family for a long number of years and is one of Grayling's old landmarks.

Spring is in the air—it's marvelous the weather we have been experiencing this fall. The temperature the past few days has been like days in June with a bright sun every day. Plant life is taking on new life for this morning Mrs. Charles Moore brought some trailing arbutus into the office that are in bud and ready to bloom.

The Appreciation Day crowds are getting bigger every time. Last night there was a regular whale of a crowd. Many were here from Roscommon, Kalkaska and Gaylord. The members are an association of merchants pulling together for the good of Grayling. Next meeting next Wednesday night. Watch for posters.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers, Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. Joseph McLeod entertained their Home Extension Group Tuesday evening from seven till nine o'clock. There were ten girls and boys present and they all had a big time. The Misses Jane Milnes and Billyann Clippert tied for the most points in several games. Jane was lucky in the draw and carried off the honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds left Sunday for Midland to take up their residence, where the former has been employed for some time. Their many friends are sorry to have them leave. Their home on US-27 is being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brennan, who have moved in from their cottage at the Lake.

At the meeting of the Women's Democratic club at the home of Mrs. Ronnow Hanson Tuesday night, there was a good attendance and four new members were enrolled. Pre-election matters with a discussion on the amendments was the business of the meeting. Mrs. Adolph Peterson, president, presided, she with Mrs. Axel Peterson assisting Mrs. Hanson as co-hostesses.

"Nineteen paces northwest, count your paces." If you heard anyone saying words of that nature Saturday night, they were on a "treasure hunt" and, guests at a delightful Hallowe'en party given by Mr. and Mrs. Staney Flower. There were twenty guests and the Flower home was in Hallowe'en dress for the occasion. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis of the West Branch.

Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen entertained the Danish Ladies Aid society at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Clara McLeod is at Alma, Mich., where Dr. Don M. Howell removed a cataract from her right eye last week. She is getting along nicely.

Bring the children down to Harwood's Grocery store Saturday to see Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs who will be there in person all day.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Olson entertained seven couples at a pot luck supper Tuesday evening, the party later attending the Golf Club Hallowe'en party.

Armistice Day will be observed by American Legion Post 106 and the Women's Auxiliary on Nov. 11. Committees have been appointed to make arrangements.

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Lavina Deckrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deckrow, of Mt. Morris, to Mr. John Stukely, of Flushing, Mich., on October 28.

Chris Hoesli and family have moved to their property on Park street, just off Michigan, and have rented their home on Park street near Lake street to Earl Burns and family.

Monday night will mark the opening meeting of the Woman's Club for the club year, which will be a social meeting and held at the home of Mrs. C. J. McNamara. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Nellie Sanderson Rushton, of Kamiah, Idaho, was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. Laura Parker. Mrs. Rushton was a former resident of Grayling and a member of one of the first classes to graduate from Grayling High school.

Many Grayling people have received invitations from Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome requesting their presence at the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth Margaret, to Mr. Donald Karl Ballman on Saturday evening, the nineteenth of November at half after eight o'clock at All Saints Episcopal Church, Pontiac, Michigan.

Workmen are razing the former old Woodfield house on Michigan avenue, that is now owned by Wilhelm Rae. This was the old home of the William Woodfield family for a long number of years and is one of Grayling's old landmarks.

Spring is in the air—it's marvelous the weather we have been experiencing this fall. The temperature the past few days has been like days in June with a bright sun every day. Plant life is taking on new life for this morning Mrs. Charles Moore brought some trailing arbutus into the office that are in bud and ready to bloom.

The Appreciation Day crowds are getting bigger every time. Last night there was a regular whale of a crowd. Many were here from Roscommon, Kalkaska and Gaylord. The members are an association of merchants pulling together for the good of Grayling. Next meeting next Wednesday night. Watch for posters.

Mrs. Gerald Poor entertained her Sunday School class from Michelson Memorial church Tuesday evening from seven till nine o'clock. There were ten girls and boys present and they all had a big time. The Misses Jane Milnes and Billyann Clippert tied for the most points in several games. Jane was lucky in the draw and carried off the honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds left Sunday for Midland to take up their residence, where the former has been employed for some time. Their many friends are sorry to have them leave. Their home on US-27 is being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brennan, who have moved in from their cottage at the Lake.

At the meeting of the Women's Democratic club at the home of Mrs. Ronnow Hanson Tuesday night, there was a good attendance and four new members were enrolled. Pre-election matters with a discussion on the amendments was the business of the meeting. Mrs. Adolph Peterson, president, presided, she with Mrs. Axel Peterson assisting Mrs. Hanson as co-hostesses.

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Vote for William Ferguson for County Treasurer on the Republican ticket. Your support will be appreciated.

The ladies of the O. E. S. will conduct a rummage sale at the Masonic Temple Friday and Saturday, November 4th and 5th. Everyone invited.

The regular social meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. John Erkes tonight (Thursday). Members please be at the hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Alex Kochanowski and Roy Lovely have purchased the City Dairy from Leo Lovely and took over the management November 1st. Leo started this business in the early spring locating in a part of the Frank Ahman building near US-27 bridge.

Mrs. M. A. Bates has been removed to her home from the Holger Schmidt home and is reported to be gradually improving. Mrs. Bates was taken suddenly ill early Wednesday morning of last week at the Schmidt home where she was staying overnight. Her daughter Mrs. Alfred Hermann of Grand Rapids is with her at present.

Flat tires galore were found when the members of Grayling Golf club and their guests went to their cars after the Hallowe'en party Tuesday evening at the club house. The perpetrators, whoever they were, weren't satisfied with letting the air out of the tires, but in some cases took out the valve spring as well. It might not be such a big joke if the guilty parties are apprehended.

Nicholas J. Whelan, former speaker of the House of Representatives, now with the Public Utilities Commission, and John O. Gilmore, head of the State Accident Board and former State American Legion Commander, were the main speakers at a political rally at the Court house Wednesday evening, sponsored by Crawford County Democrats. There was a good sized crowd in attendance.

Earl Nelson has been doing some extensive improving of his property on U. S. 27, north of Mercy hospital. While his regular business is running a filling station, he has built on a room for a grocery store and on the opposite side of the station he has built a grease and tire shop. The entire length of the front part of the structure is 56 feet. It is covered with asbestos siding, and is very attractive.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers, Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. Joseph McLeod entertained their Home Extension Group Tuesday evening from seven till nine o'clock. There were ten girls and boys present and they all had a big time. The lesson "Curtaining Windows" was continued, with draperies the subject of discussion. The hostesses served a delicious lunch.

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Karl Miller of West Branch, formerly of Grayling was accidentally shot by a hunting companion, while hunting near Glenrie, Mich., Saturday afternoon. The charge of the shotgun struck Mr. Miller in both legs, rendering him helpless, and he was forced to remain in the woods for an hour, while his companion went for help. He is at Tolfeine Memorial Hospital in West Branch. Mr. Miller, who is employed by the Michigan Unemployment Compensation administration, comes to his Grayling office each Monday.

In honor of Mrs. Harry Reynolds who left Sunday night to make her home in Midland, fourteen friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Joe Smith for a Hallowe'en and farewell party Saturday night. Cards were enjoyed, honors going to Miss Mabel Brasie for high score and Mrs. Reynolds for low. Mrs. James Cameron dressed as a witch won the prize for the best costume. At 11:00 a two course lunch was served, after which Mrs. Reynolds was showered with good wishes, and presented with a gift from the group.

Miss Faye Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wells was united in marriage Wednesday evening to Mr. Fred T. Ward, in Detroit. Mrs. Wells and daughter, Mrs. Alfred Borchers, were in attendance. Mr. Ward is foreign correspondent in the Chrysler Engineering Service. The young couple have been friends since childhood. They are expected in Grayling tonight for a few days visit with the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward will make their home in Detroit. Hosts of friends extend their congratulations and best wishes.

HERE FOLKS**Is Good News For You****A Store Wide Sale, right at the beginning of the season****A One Week Special Selling Event****10 per cent off****On Every Purchase You Make**

● Prices are low, and this 10 per cent you save will enable you to buy your Winter Wearables at a Great Saving.

No matter what you buy we will deduct 10 per cent;

Ladies Coats and Dresses, Shoes, Rubbers, Underwear, Blankets, Mens Suits, Mens "Soo" Wool Garments, Shirts, Hats, Hosiery.

Sale Starts Tues. Morning, Nov. 4th**Grayling Mercantile Company****The Quality Store****Phone 125****New Mercury 8 Town-Sedan**

THIS Mercury 8 town-sedan is one of the four body types of the newest car in motordom. It is a big car, with 116-inch wheelbase and measuring more than 10 feet from bumper to bumper. Its V-8 engine develops 85 horsepower. Brakes are hydraulic, enabling the driver to slow down or stop quickly with light pedal pressure. The town-sedan is the "flagship of the Mercury fleet." Each seats hold three passengers comfortably. Interior appointments are luxurious. There is an exceptionally large luggage compartment. White sidewall tires are extra.

Clearance Sale of Sterling DRESSES

Friday, Saturday and all next week from Nov. 4 thru 12 inclusive. All new styles—many dirndl and coat.

\$1 House Dresses both long and short sleeves .85**\$1.95 Dresses Swedish prints plaids & rayons \$1.59****\$2.95 Dresses silks, weather spun rayons \$2.29****A Few \$1.95 Zipper House Coats \$1.59**

Every dress can be washed. No dry cleaning necessary.

We also have a nice line of Outing Pajamas and Night Gowns

at \$1.00**EMIL KRAUS DRYGOODS STORE****Under New Management****The Lietz Cleaners**

Same Location as Former Cripps-Lietz Cleaners

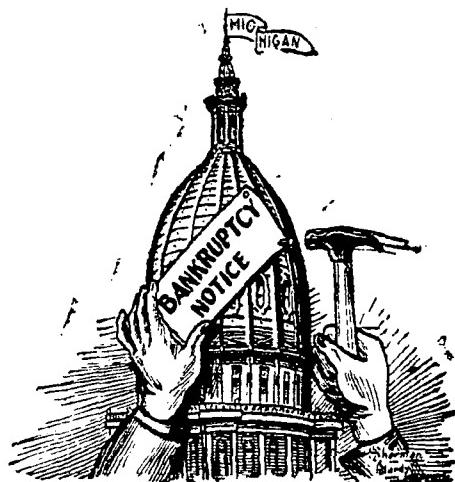
Prompt Delivery Service Special Cash-Carry Prices

Phone 133

THE CITY DAIRY**Pasteurized Milk and Cream From Will Love's Farm****Fresh Eggs and Butter****Dependable Service**

Phone 139

IS MICHIGAN HEADED for BANKRUPTCY?



LET'S CONSIDER THE FACTS

(1) State payrolls increased more than \$9,000,000 in 18 months — the greatest boost of tax-supported wages in Michigan history. Lack of building space at Lansing for Murphy's job army has even forced several agencies to move to Detroit.

(2) Steadily mounting deficit in the state treasury. On January 1, 1937, the treasury had a cash balance of \$8,775,000. On June 30, 1938 — 18 months later, the officially admitted deficit was \$8,741,487 — making a red ink total on June 30, of \$17,000,000 UPWARD. And this does not include, in any way, the millions appropriated by the legislature at the special session in August for welfare needs. TODAY the Murphy deficit is somewhere between \$20,000,000 and \$30,000,000, and mounting every day!

What are YOU going to do about it? Old Age pensions have been reduced because tax money has been squandered! Wouldn't it be better for the unemployed to have adequate state funds for their needs, and what is more important, honest-to-goodness jobs in industry and business?

Restore Sound Government to Michigan! Restore business confidence by the American way! Michigan workers are not satisfied with only the Dole they are entitled to real jobs.

RE-ELECT FRANK D. FITZGERALD

SUPPORT THE REPUBLICAN TICKET
(Not endorsed by Communists)

(Political advertisement by Republican State Central Committee)

Feeling SORRY Won't Bring a DEAD Child BACK to Life . . .

Have you the courage to read this ad . . . or do you shudder at the gruesome thought suggested? No . . . we're not going to give you cold, stark, unfeeling statistics on how many children were killed in the State of Michigan last year. You know there was a child killed because a motorist was careless. And the man who killed that child says he would give his life to bring her back to life. He is a broken man today because this tragedy did not end with death to the child. It has cut deep . . . it has hurt and wrought havoc in the lives of many..

Are you a careful driver? Do you know the traffic rules and regulations? Above all . . . do you observe them . . . not just most of the time but ALWAYS? One slip can make you sorry for the rest of your life . . . can shatter your confidence . . . can bring grief and unhealing wounds to others. Please . . . please drive carefully!



Leon Stase

SECRETARY OF STATE

Space for this advertisement, donated by this paper in the interests of life-saving.

Notice to the Public

The notice below, published in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan in regard to telephone rate increases, is published by the Tri-County Telephone Company as a part of a proposal of the Company to spend approximately \$360,000.00, provided that rates are granted which will allow them to earn the interest on the above amount which they will have to borrow.

The proportion of this amount to be expended in Grayling is estimated at \$48,000.00; the proposed rates not to become effective until the money has been expended and new service established.

NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

TAKE NOTICE: That on the 12th day of November, A. D. 1938, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon as application can be heard, the undersigned will apply to the MICHIGAN PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION, at its offices in the State Office Building, Lansing, Michigan, to fix a date for hearing upon its petition:

(1) To increase and modify its rates, rentals and charges at its Grayling Exchange as follows:

Class of Service Present Rate Now Proposed
being charged per Month Rate per Month

Within the Base Rate Area, namely:
Starting at the Northwest corner of Section 7, Grayling Township, 2N, R3W, South three-fourths mile, East one-fourth mile, South one-fourth mile, West one mile, North one mile East to the starting point.

BUSINESS Individual Line \$2.00 \$3.50
2-Party Line 2.00 2.75
Extension Station .75 .75

RESIDENCE Individual Line 1.50 2.50
4-Party Line 1.25 2.00
Extension Station .50 .50

Outside of the Base Rate Area but within the Grayling Exchange Service Area:

RURAL LINE SERVICE BUSINESS Farm Party Line—Within 6 Miles \$1.50 \$2.50
Farm Party Line—Beyond 6 Miles 1.50 2.75
Extension .75 .75

RESIDENCE Farm Party Line—Within 6 Miles 1.50 2.00
Farm Party Line—Beyond 6 Miles 1.50 2.25
Extension .50 .50

SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES Service connection charges to apply where instrumentalities are not in place ("Installations" and "Outside Moves")—Exchange under 500 stations: Individual and Party Line main stations and PBX trunks, each:

Business \$2.50 \$2.50
Residence 2.00 2.00

Extension stations and PBX stations, each: Business or residence \$1.00 \$1.00
Reconnect when instrumentalities are in place 1.00 1.00

Reconnect after disconnect for non-payment 1.00 1.00

Moves and Changes Change of Name of the Subscriber None
For moving a telephone set from one location to another on the same premises 1.00 1.00
For changes of type or style of telephone set 1.00 1.00

MISCELLANEOUS MILEAGE RATE outside the Base Area, per 1/4 mile:

Individual Line .32 .63
2-Party Line each Main Station .32 .38
4-Party Line each Main Station .32 .25

Rural Line beyond authorized exchange boundary line None .25

JOINT USER SERVICE Business Individual Line rate in addition to regular rate None Change

Residence .50 .25

HAND TELEPHONE SETS on Individual, 2-Party or 4-Party Lines 25c per month in addition to the regular monthly rate for three continuous years, thereafter no charge.

DESK SETS or HAND SETS on Rural Service 25c per month in addition to the regular monthly rate.

NO CHANGE in rates for private branch exchange equipment, extension bells, loud ringing gongs, booths, switches, jacks and plugs, push buttons and buzzers, receivers, extension arms, extra length cords, extra listings, or other miscellaneous telephone services is being requested. The rates for these services are those now in effect with the Michigan Public Utilities Commission.

SEASON AND OTHER SHORT TERM SERVICE—Season rates shall apply for telephones in service four months or less. The season rate shall be eight times the monthly rate.

The initial contract period of all classes of exchange service, equipment facilities and other charges, shall be a minimum of one year or as specified in the tariff on file with the Michigan Public Utilities Commission. Telephone and other equipment installed on an annual contract and ordered out before the expiration of the first year of service, one-half rate shall be charged for the unexpired portion of the year provided that the unexpired portion is eight months or less. If the unexpired portion is more than eight months, the season rate shall apply.

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF SERVICE—While service is temporarily discontinued one month or longer, one-half the regular rate shall be charged.

PAYABLE Monthly rates payable in advance.

Season rates payable in advance. The rates, rentals and charges shall be NET, without discount or penalty. All monthly bills shall be due the first day of the month, and payable on or before the tenth day of the month. The company reserves the right to deny service for non-payment, and to require a deposit.

The above-mentioned proposed rates to become effective the first of the month next following the conversion to automatic service.

Dated: At South Haven, Michigan, this 10th day of October, A. D. 1938.

TRI-COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY,
By O. M. VAUGHAN, President.

F. H. White, Secretary.

GRAYLING LUTHERAN JUNIOR AID meets Thursday, Nov. 10th at the parsonage, C. Stockholm, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 6th, 1938

Sunday School—9:30 a. m.

English service and communion 11:00 a. m.

Confirmation class meets Saturday, 9:00 a. m. at the parsonage.

Home of Copernicus

Turun in Poland is the birthplace of Copernicus, the great astronomer.

A statue to his memory and visitors may enter the home he had 400 years ago.

C. STOCKHOLM, PASTOR.

Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that a General Election will be held in the several townships and city of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, at Town Hall and City Hall, within said Township and City on

Tuesday, Nov. 8, A. D. 1938.

For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

STATE—Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Auditor General.

CONGRESS—Representative in Congress.

LEGISLATIVE—State Senator, Representative in State Legislature.

COUNTY—Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Circuit Court Commissioner, 2 Coroners, Surveyor.

Notice is hereby further given that at the time and places of holding the General Election, there will be submitted at said election, Four Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Michigan, viz:

(Proposal No. 1)

Amendment to Provide for a Four-Year Term of Office for County Clerk, Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, Treasurer and Register of Deeds.

This amendment, if adopted, will provide for a four-year term of office for the above-named officers, to take effect January 1, 1939.

(Proposal No. 2)

Amendment to Provide for the Non-Partisan Nomination and Appointment of Supreme Court Justices for Eight-Year Terms.

This amendment, if adopted, will provide for the appointment of justices of the supreme court by the governor from names submitted to him by the judiciary commission, which commission shall be composed of one supreme court justice, one circuit judge, one probate court judge, three members of the state bar and three electors of this state not licensed to practice law.

(Proposal No. 3)

Shall the Constitution be Amended to Constitution That Gasoline and Motor Vehicle License Plate Taxes Paid by Motorists be Used for Highways, Roads and Streets.

Adoption of this amendment will require that all gasoline and weight (license plate) taxes collected from motorists for highway purposes continue to be used for such purposes. It does not apply to any other taxes. It does not grant any additional taxing power to the legislature, nor restrict its right to change the rates and methods of allocation of such motor vehicle taxes.

(Proposal No. 4)

Referendum on Act No. 257 of the Public Acts of 1937. Being an Act to Provide for the Transfer of the Administration of Certain Existing State Public Welfare and Relief Matters, Services and Duties to the State Department of Public Assistance Created by Said Act, and to Abolish the Various State Departments, Boards, Commissions, and Offices so Transferred.

The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and will remain open until 6 o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated Oct. 8, 1938.

Signed:

Dan C. Babbitt, Clerk, Grayling Township.

George A. Granger, Clerk, City of Grayling.

Kendell Welch, Clerk, Frederic Township.

Martha J. Petersen, Clerk, Maple Forest Township.

Louise McCormick, Clerk, Lovells Township.

Frank Millikin, Clerk, Beaver Creek Township.

John F. Floeter, Clerk, South Branch Township.

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EYES



MR. MERCHANT

The EYES of THE COMMUNITY WOULD BE ON YOUR AD-
IF IT HAD BEEN SUGGESTED IN THIS ISSUE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 17th day of October A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Violet Fournier, deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said estate.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court on the 20th day of February A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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A true copy:

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DIRECTORY

MAC & GIDLEY

REGISTERED PHARMACISTS

Phones 18 and 341 Grayling

DR. J. F. COOK

Dentist

HOURS—8:00 A. M. to 12 Noon

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, November 4, 1915

Miss Helen Reagan spent the forepart of last week the guest of the Misses May Fitzpatrick and Ruby Glasser of Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Nikolin Schjouz returned Thursday from their wedding tour thru different cities of Michigan and Wisconsin.

Ray Amidon was home from Petoskey over Sunday.

Miss Margrethe Hemmingsen spent Friday at Bay City.

Mrs. Claude R. Keyport and Mrs. J. H. Lamb are spending the week in Detroit.

Ralph Colien arrived Wednesday from Detroit and is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. J. Colien.

Selwyn Dexter of Hart is here to spend the winter with his sisters, Mrs. Peter Borchers and Mrs. Lester McPeak.

James Armstrong and daughter, Miss Fern Armstrong, left Thursday for a few days' visit to Fairgrov and Bad Axe. Miss Lucille Hanson accompanied Miss Fern and together they spent a couple of days in Bay City before returning.

Mrs. John Otsen left Tuesday for Davey, Neb., to visit her daughter Mrs. Stephen Mogenson and family for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Jane Stanard and Mr. Holger Hanson were quiet, married on Monday evening of this week, by the Rev. Aaron Mitchell of the M. E. church.

Mrs. Hans Peterson left Friday to spend a week in Detroit visiting her daughter Mrs. Win. Dobur and sons, Messrs Peter and Victor Peterson who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigwald Hansen, of Clio, arrived in the city last week to spend a part of their honeymoon, with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hansen.

The Hallowe'en party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Heath in honor of Miss Rose

The Fords Tell Their Plans for 1939

IF WE KNEW anything better we could do for the country than make good motor cars, we would do it.

By every one doing his best in the job he thinks most useful, this country is going to regain its momentum. We have tried to do our best in our job.

When business was suddenly halted in its recovery more than a year ago, we determined that we should keep going anyway, if not at full-volume motor car production, then at getting ready for greater motor car values that would help future production.

EXPANDING FOR THE FUTURE

We began to build 34 million dollars' worth of new plants and equipment. We felt that if we could not employ all our men building motor cars, we would employ as many as we could building better production facilities.

We were told, of course, that this was no time for expansion, that a wiser business policy would be to "hold everything"—which means, stop everything. But no one ever got anywhere standing still.

Besides, we are not defeatists. We do not believe this country has seen its best days. We believe this country is yet in the infancy of its growth. We believe that every atom of faith invested in our Country and our People will be amply justified by the future. We believe America is just beginning. Never yet have our People seen real Prosperity. Never yet have we seen adequate Production. But we shall see it! That is the assurance in which we have built.

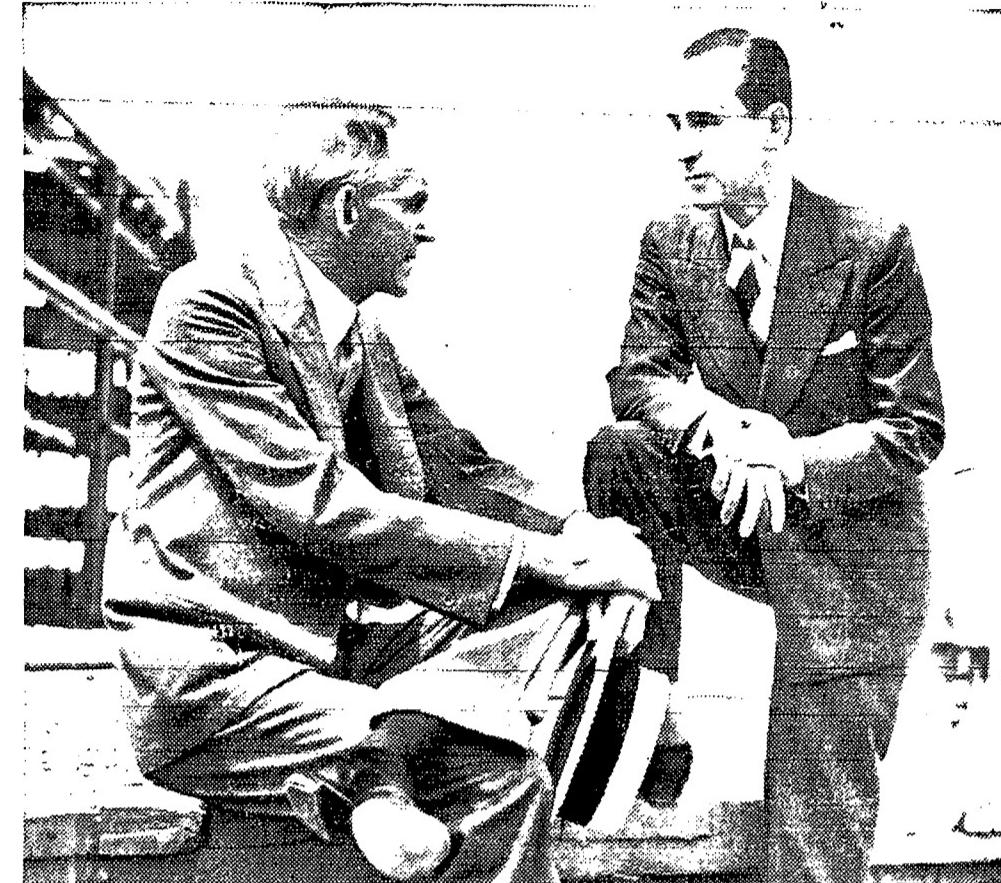
Business is not just coming back. It will have to be brought back. That is now becoming well understood in this country; for that reason 1939 will be a co-operative year. Manufacturers, sellers and buyers will co-operate to bring back the business that is waiting to be brought back.

This construction program is almost completed. It has increased activity and payrolls in a number of related industries. It has given us better facilities for building better cars and trucks, and eventually our new tractor which is being perfected.

THIS MEANS MORE VALUE

The current program has provided a new tire plant, which will turn out a part of our tire requirements . . . a new tool and die plant that will help us cut the cost of dies . . . and a steel-press plant that will enable us to make more of our own automobile bodies. These are in addition to the plants we already had for producing glass, iron, steel, plastics, and many other things.

We don't supply all our own needs, of course, and never expect to. The Ford engine is one thing



Henry and Edsel Ford, on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Ford Motor Company, June 16, 1938

that no one's hand touches but ours. Of nearly everything else we use we build some quantity ourselves, to find, if possible, better and more economical ways of doing it. The experience and knowledge we gain are freely shared with our suppliers, and with other industries.

We take no profit on anything we make for ourselves and sell to ourselves. Every operation, from the Ford ships which first bring iron ore to the Rouge, is figured at accurate cost. The only profit is on the finished result—the car or truck as it comes off the line. Some years, there is no profit for us. But we see to it that our customers always profit. A basic article of our business creed is that no sale is economically constructive unless it profits the buyer as much as or more than the seller.

Our new plants have helped us build more value into all our cars for 1939. That means more profit on the purchase to the purchaser. We have not cut quality to reduce costs.

We simply will not build anything inferior.

NEW TESTING EQUIPMENT

While we were putting up new plants to produce cars, we constructed new equipment to test them. The first weather tunnel of its kind ever built for automobile research went into operation at our laboratories this year.

It makes any kind of weather to order. The weather it delivers every day would take months to find in Nature. Our cars are weather-tested to give you good service in any climate anywhere.

In other tests, every part of the car is punished unmercifully. Then our engineers tear it down to see if they can find abnormal wear or any sign of weakness.

The money we spend on tests saves your money on repairs. And your family car is safer and more dependable when we put it in your hands.

THE NEW CARS

We have two new Ford cars for 1939—better cars and better looking—but we also have an entirely new car.

It's called the Mercury 8. It fits into our line between the De Luxe Ford and the Lincoln-Zephyr. It is larger than the Ford, with 116-inch wheelbase, hydraulic brakes, and a new 95-horse-power V-type 8-cylinder engine.

We know that our 1939 cars are cars of good quality. We think they're fine values in their price classes.

With new cars, new plants, new equipment, the whole Ford organization is geared to go forward.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY, Dearborn, Michigan



GOOD ROADS mean everything to all of us. Michigan's top-ranking automotive industry depends upon good roads. Our second most important industry—the tourist business—could not exist without them. Agriculture thrives only when farm products can be rushed to markets over good roads. Business prospers as these basic industries prosper.

On election day you will vote on Amendment No. 3, the Good Roads Amendment. Here's what a "yes" vote means to you: As a wage earner "yes" means more jobs; as a farmer "yes" means good farm-to-market roads; as a business man "yes" means more business; and as a taxpayer "yes" means a brake on your property taxes. To your family, Amendment 3 opens up new fields of safe and healthful recreation.

Protect MICHIGAN
and PROTECT YOURSELF
VOTE Yes AMENDMENT 3
THE GOOD ROADS AMENDMENT

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received until November 10th for the lease of the restaurant concession, also separate lease for the refreshment stand concession, for the coming season at the Winter Sports Park. Whoever receives the restaurant concession must furnish fuel for the kitchen. The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids.

Grayling Winter Sports, Inc.

Red Cross Volunteers Assist War Veterans

Red Cross workers in chapters in hospitals and on posts of the Army, Navy, Coast Guard, and Marine Corps assisted 122,355 active service men or veterans or their families during the past 12 months.

Red Cross service to these men included such personal help as letter-writing, shopping and recreational leadership, but it also included financial assistance to their dependents, help in locating missing members of their families, and assistance in filing necessary applications for pensions, disability pay, hospitalization, or for discharge from active service because of home needs.

The average number of men assisted by Red Cross workers each month was 18,790, according to a recent report.

Dr. W. B. NEWTON
ALPENA
Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat Specialist

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MICHIGAN
November 8, 1938

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Sheriff	Sheriff	Sheriff	Sheriff
County Clerk	County Clerk	County Clerk	County Clerk
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Register of Deeds	Register of Deeds	Register of Deeds	Register of Deeds
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In view of certain inconveniences which have become evident in the making of arrangements for Game Dinners at our establishment, we are herewith sending out this message of information. If you wish to arrange a Game Dinner Party at our place, simply send us word by mail stating day and date, also the hour of service and number of persons in party, together with your address and how to reach your place and we will call personally for your game—at the same time complete balance of details in case you have any special wishes and desires as to menu, etc. It will also present an opportunity to impart advance information as to charges which is more or less of an important factor. If they are not to your entire satisfaction, we consider the effort, time and expense of our call just a matter of business. No grievances whatsoever.

We will call for your game within a radius of 25 miles from our place, if you so wish. It is very important that you send us word as early as possible. In the event that we already have game dinner reservations for the day and date you have selected, we will either call personally or notify you by return

mail. With this information at your command, it will be an easy matter to arrange your dinner party at our establishment. These details of information also apply to all other dinner parties aside from game dinners.

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IT STRIKES US—

That amendment No. 1 is one that any voter should understand. We wonder if the people are ready for the change of 2-year terms for county officers to 4-year terms. Do your own deciding.

There is a lot of merit in amendment No. 2, but we hesitate to delegate any more power of the people to centralized control. We consider that centralized government is dangerous for a democratic government. It election is next Tuesday. Are heads away from the principles, you ready for the ballot?

of government of the people, by the people and for the people. The answer is for the voters to determine.

Amendment No. 3 is one that we go ahead in endorsing. This should pass with a big majority. VOTE YES.

And finally No. 4. PLEASE VOTE NO. Out of its defeat, it may be assured, there will come an act by the legislature that will be more fair to the counties and the people at home.

Election is next Tuesday. Are heads away from the principles, you ready for the ballot?

**NOT A
POLITICIAN**

REPUBLICANS and DEMOCRATS have promised and are going to vote for JOHN E. DOHERTY for SENATOR. WHY? BECAUSE they know their interests will be cared for by a BUSINESS MAN OF ABILITY and not sold down

the river by politicians for POLITICAL PAP. BECAUSE MANY REPUBLICANS SIGNED HIS NOMINATING PETITION. BECAUSE All par-

ties that know him personally know that he will champion their cause in all problems connected with the 28th Senatorial District regardless of politicians and expert LOBBYISTS. Help him BY YOUR VOTE to revamp the present regulations of PUBLIC UTILITIES, Mortgage Loans, Interest Rates, CONSERVATION, PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE, A JUST PENSION for the AGED and INFIRM, Civil Service and many other of your personal problems, such as financial aid to expand the Recreational Sports Parks at the INLAND LAKES AND ALONG THE LAKE HURON SHORE so as to entertain the hundreds of thousands of TOURISTS that VISIT THE 28th DISTRICT every year BOTH SUMMER AND WINTER.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS—VOTE FOR JOHN E. DOHERTY on November 8th.

HIS NAME APPEARS IN THE DEMOCRATIC COLUMN. If you wish to vote DEMOCRATIC place an X in the circle at the top of the first left hand column which is marked "Democratic", or if you vote any other party ticket, MARK AN X in the SQUARE at the LEFT HAND SIDE of the name in the DEMOCRATIC COLUMN opposite the name, JOHN E. DOHERTY.

Your Vote and your Support will be Gratefully
Appreciated

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28th District

Recognized as one of the outstanding members of the Michigan State Senate. A fighter for his District and for the people of the State of Michigan.

He seeks re-election for a second term in the Senate. Vote for him November 8th so that the District will continue to be represented by a strong, capable man.

A CAPABLE, HONEST, HARD-WORKING OFFICIAL

In the Editor's Mail

You and I were given a gift—the privilege of self-government—some have real merit and are progressive without loss of liberty. They all should be studied thoroughly. This freedom was gained through the suffering of many hardships. I cannot bring myself to be quiet—may be cause their wives were along.

From time to time we are asked to delegate some of our power to Federal Government. We can't expect to dump all of our individuals or small groups of problems into the laps of either people; their reasons usually are economy, or just that they can do it so much better than we can. With our birthright of freedom, we also inherited its responsibilities; we must not shrink

HONORED WITH FAREWELL PARTY

Mrs. Jack Clark and Mrs. Minnie Hartley were hostesses at a farewell shower given Thursday evening at the home of the latter, in honor of Mrs. Warren Stephan, who will leave for Detroit to make her home. The

Re-elect
**FRANK P.
BUZA**

To the State Legislature
Democratic Ticket
November 8th

What a Republican Editor has to say about
FRANK P. BUZA

HAL WHITELEY in "Round and About" Column, Rogers City Advance, April 14, 1938:

"Looking over the political landscape we find Presque Isle District this year having at least two very prominent candidates in the political field, one on the Republican, and one on the Democratic ticket

"It may seem strange to some for us to comment favorably on the candidacy of one not of our own political party. We hope we are big enough to give credit where credit is due, regardless of party affiliations. We have always felt that a candidate of character and ability is entitled to the support of his home community, regardless of his political affiliation, the more so when he is non-partisan in those things which vitally affect us."

"We think Rep. Frank Buza has been an unusually good representative. Looking over his legislative record we find him conservative. He has been cooperative with all parts of his district, if we are to believe the individuals with whom we have come in contact from the other counties."

Labor Endorses Him

MICHIGAN FEDERATION OF LABOR

The Michigan Federation of Labor has always found Rep. Frank Buza friendly to legislation in the interest of the common people of the State of Michigan.

He was active in the 1937 session of the Legislature in assisting Labor representatives in their efforts to enact laws to protect the workers.

The necessity of legislation to protect the workers in the struggle for an American standard of living is greater than ever, and we need the services of progressive legislators who have a sympathetic understanding of workers' problems.

Rep. Frank Buza has demonstrated, by his legislative activities, that he has an understanding of the problems of the workers and should be returned in the interests of the common people of this State.

John Reid, Secretary-Treasurer.

GRANGERS FROLIC AT HAY LOFT

(Continued from front page) my breath quite away and I had to start in being shocked all over again.

The Devil himself was all over the floor. Folks tried not to show it but they must have been scared, not knowing who he was after.

About the prettiest was the King's jester bell and all. It being such hard work making other people laugh all the time it was not surprising that his face was quite lined and his hair no longer jet black. Pearl went whizzing by with a Chihuahua and I thought, my, when Ned hears of that, but here he comes by with a tall, very black lady. Such goings on!

Slowly up the stairs like a stovepipe, which was the top of his hat, came a head. I was just going to yell the de-mands are coming, but there was only one so I thought I'd better be brave but was awfully worried when his tummy, so Wimpy-like, came in view, and I remembered they were supposed to have hamburgers later on for refreshments.

A great yellow jack-o'-lantern stopped right in front of me and a hand dangled so near I thought I'd better shake hands if that was what it wanted, but ghosts, spooks and witches had nothing on those hands. They were empty! But still they collected a half dollar after a while. When that convict and a real gipsy woman came by I took the only bill I had with me and pinned it inside my coat with a safety pin. Thinking of that bill, I couldn't even have them tell my fortune.

One poor fellow must have wanted to come awfully bad cause his clothes were too, too patched and patched and gone.

It was too bad his wife or his neighbor or himself or someone

couldn't have found patches of

nearer matching colors, especially

one. But then if his pants

hadn't of been partly gone the

real beauty of his garment

stripped hose would have been

lost on the crowd. Even his

shoes shied away from covering

such beautiful stripes that

matched so well the flowery car-

ation he wore. He must have seen

better days for he walked so

straight and tall, even when

Middle pulled him across the

floor by his toe. Someone gave

him a half dollar later and if he

is real careful and saving and

comes to the next party that I

heard him asking for he might

get another half dollar and

maybe sometime have enough to

buy some even nicer socks.

Hollywood sent a cowboy and

there was a real newslady who

must be good for her eyes were

big enough to see all that was go-

ing on.

Several candidates were quite

quiet—maybe 'cause their wifes

were along.

You should have been there to

keep an eye on your Grangers. I

am usually quite choosey about

where I go but if my neighbors

and their neighbors and all the

other folks are going to the next

party, well, we will just have to

go along too. There will be a

next time, won't there? We and

everybody hope so, and soon too!

By YIMZIEYAM

Grange dinner will be prompt-

ly at twelve, Saturday.

All members please be there

and on time. There will be initia-

tion and much business, and if we

are ALL on time our work can be

done so much better. PLEASE.

St. Helena Discovery of

A Portuguese Navigator

St. Helena was discovered by the

Portuguese navigator Joao de Nova

on a voyage home from India. He

sighted it on the feast day of St.

Helena, mother of the Roman Em-

peror Constantine, and named it for

her. That was in May, 1502. The

Portuguese made no effort at col-

onization. Yet there was one inyo-

luntary Portuguese colonist, a sort

of Robinson Crusoe, relates Fred-

erick J. Haskin in the Washington

Star.

A Portuguese soldier, Fernando

Lopez, deserted at Goa, renounced

Christianity and joined the Payn-

im. He was surrendered to the Por-

tuguese by the Indians on condition

that he be spared. Albuquerque

did spare his life, but he did not

think the terms of the surrender

would be violated if he cut off his

right hand, his ears, his nose, and

the thumb of his left hand. Then

he took him aboard for the home-

ward voyage and marooned him on

St. Helena, which was totally un-

inhabited. This was in 1513.

Lopez dug himself a cave with

what remained of his left hand and

managed to live. The tale became

known and ships stopping for water

and wood for their galleys would

leave food for him. He never ap-

peared himself because, having

been a proud soldier, he was

ashamed of his deformities. When

ships returned they found the food

had always been taken and they

continued the practice. At length

he showed himself in his old age

and asked to be taken home so he

could make pilgrimage to Rome and

be forgiven his sins by the Holy

Father himself. By then he had

become a figure of note, and his re-

quest was granted. But, shriven,

he elected to return, alone, to his

island.

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TERMS: \$10.00 and under cash; over that amount, 6 months time will be given on bankable note bearing 7 per cent interest.

Every article put up will be sold—No side bidders

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RAY KAAKE, Auctioneer. Gaylord State Savings Bank, Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery Edward T. Strong, and Grace A. Strong, vs. Plaintiffs.

Franklin Moore, Henry E. Moore, Benjamin Whipple and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiffs that after diligent search and inquiry by defendant the whereabouts of Franklin Moore, Henry E. Moore, Benjamin Whipple, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns or any of them or in what state or country any of them reside is unknown to defendant as is shown by said affidavit on file in this cause.

On motion of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiffs, it is hereby ordered that the defendant herein cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order or default will be taken and that this order be published as is required by law.

Dated October 8th, 1938.

John C. Shaffer, Circuit Judge.

This suit is brought for the purpose of quieting title to the north half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-four, town twenty-seven north, range four west, Frederic Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

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